



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of: )  
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TIMOTHY J. O'BRIEN )  
)  
Serial No.: 09/965,738 ✓ )  
)  
Filed: September 27, 2001 )  
)  
For: REPEAT SEQUENCES OF THE )  
CA125 GENE AND THEIR USE )  
FOR DIAGNOSTIC AND )  
THERAPEUTIC INTERVENTIONS) )

Attorney Docket No.: 022438.43865

**TRANSMITTAL LETTER**

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Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Sir:

The following documents for the above-captioned application are enclosed herewith:

1. Response to Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment;
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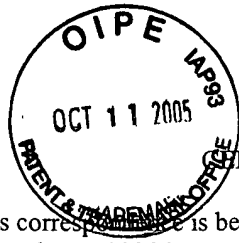
Respectfully Submitted,

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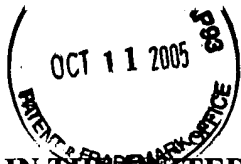
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**RESPONSE TO REQUIREMENT FOR RESTRICTION UNDER 35 U.S.C. § 121**

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Alexandria, VA. 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated September 20, 2005, regarding noncompliant amendment:

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Drawings:** None.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 7 of this paper.

An **Appendix** is attached on page 10.